

REMARKS

Claims 8, 9, 11 and 16-21 are pending in the application. Claim 22 has been canceled without prejudice or disclaimer. Reconsideration of this application is respectfully requested.

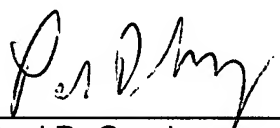
It is noted with appreciation that the Office Action has allowed claims 8, 9, 11 and 16-21.

The Office Action rejects claim 22 under the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. 112 as failing to comply with the written description requirement. This rejection is moot since claim 22 has been canceled.

Since claims 8, 9, 11 and 16-21 are allowed, it is respectfully requested for the reason set forth above that the rejection under 35 U.S.C. 112 be withdrawn and that this application be passed to issue.

Respectfully Submitted,

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